

CLARK SAYS TARIFF IS UP

Many More Apparent Than
Real Reductions

EXPERT'S COMPARISON

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ley — In Discussing Zinc,
He Smokes Out the
Speaker.

Washington, March 25.—A speech by Speaker Cannon was the novelty injected into Champ Clark's tariff speech in the House yesterday, when the Democratic leader opened the great debate for his side. Mr. Clark had finished a caustic attack upon the Standard Oil company in his plea for a straight revenue duty on petroleum and not a "dodge," as in the countervailing duty, and was proceeding to describe the principles made by Mr. Cannon on the zinc miners of Missouri during a campaign four last fall.

He had opened with the general principle that he would not vote to have any human being oppress the American people, and he introduced his remarks on zinc with the statement that he might go out of public life because of his position on the tariff bill. Speaker Cannon, he said, had promised the voters of the fifteenth Missouri district that if Morgan, the Republican candidate, were elected to Congress, a duty would be put on zinc that if it were not re-elected, no duty would be imposed.

Speaker Cannon arose and made long explanation of his statements. Republicans and Democrats alike represented to him, he said, that ore was coming in from Mexico and a duty was needed. The speaker told them, he said, that they were wrong, and that the duty was not needed. "If they had sent Hackney, I would have voted accordingly."

"There is no essential difference between your statement and mine," commented Mr. Clark, "but the American people are paying a very high price for the charming company of my friend, Charlie Morgan."

Mr. Clark hotly attacked Messrs. Hines and Mitchell, Missouri men who testified for the zinc duty before the ways and means committee, quoting their testimony and denouncing it as monumental lying. "If you will show me that this is a revenue duty," he said, "I will vote for it, but if it is prohibitive I will vote against it."

Another reference to Speaker Cannon's participation in a recent White House conference brought the speaker to his feet with the statement that he was summoned there to become acquainted with the new secretary of the treasury, and he did not recollect that the tariff was mentioned during the conference. Its purpose, he said, was to devise a plan whereby the expenditures of the government would be kept within the revenue.

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described as the "most cordial and intelligent witness" before the committee.

"Finally I got hold of him," said Mr. Clark, "and I asked him if he were given free hides he would be willing that boots and shoes go on the free list. Mr. Jones replied that he would rather have a five or ten per cent. duty, but if he could not get free hides any other way, he was willing that the entire duty on boots and shoes be taken off. I believe," continued Mr. Clark, "that every man on the committee breathed a sigh of relief when he said that, we thought a knotty problem was settled. I went as far as to compliment Mr. Jones as being the more candid and intelligent witness we had heard. But when I came back later, and when he resumed his testimony, I had to look at him half a dozen times to see if it was the same man. When he went home the brogan shoe men, under the leadership of my friend Augustus P. Gardner got hold of him and terrorized him and would give him no peace until he came back here and took back all he had said."

Mr. Clark then proceeded to quote from a letter of the Sorosis Shoe company of Lynn, which he said, "were that boots and shoes did not need one particle of protection."

Representative Tirrell of Massachusetts arose to inquire if Rice & Hutchinson took any such position. "Are you not sure," he asked, "that although they are connected with your party they are to be opposed to their position? And George N. Keith? Why do you say that Mr. Jones represents the boot and shoe industry?"

"It is the plainest thing in the world," shouted Mr. Clark in reply. "Because he came here and said so, I am going by the testimony at the hearings."

"I tell you, gentlemen," he went on, addressing the members of his own party, "the only time you can get the duties off boots and shoes is when you take it off hides."

Mr. Clark announced that he should address himself to only one more detail of the tariff, the woolen schedule which he proceeded to do. Mr. Clark outdid himself in his description of William Whitman of Boston. "It was always said of Charles Dickens," he said, "that all his characters were caricatures but if he had walked into the ways and means room when Mr. Whitman was testifying he would have rushed up and grasped him by the hand and said, 'How do you do, Mr. Pecksniff?'"

From the outset Mr. Clark's remarks commanded attention. At times he injected humor into what he had to say and frequently was interrupted by applause. As a preliminary to his set speech, he provoked the House to great laughter.

SANKEY DIVORCED.

Wife of Singing Evangelist's Elder Son Gets Decree.

New York, March 25.—An interlocutory decree of divorce was granted Mrs. Grace L. Sankey against John E. Sankey, elder son of the singing evangelist. No provision was made for alimony. The couple have one child, Grace Victoria, 5 years old. They were married in Northfield, Mass., in October, 1903.

DARTMOUTH WON 12 GAMES.

Basketball Season Was Highly Successful Losses Being Few.

Dartmouth's basketball team has finished a successful season. Out of a scheduled 17 games, Dartmouth won 12 and lost five. Williams was the only team to prove beyond doubt its superiority over the green, as it scored two clean-cut victories. Though Yale took Dartmouth's measure in their only meeting, the game was so close as to make a prediction on the result impossible until the last second of play. From all reports the teams were evenly matched. The other two defeats at the hands of Massachusetts institute of technology in the opening game of the season, and by Wesleyan on the Wesleyan floor. "Fury" was toward defeated on her own floor in Boston, while Wesleyan was beaten in a return game played in Hanover.

SHARPSHOOTER SHOOT.

Veteran of 70 Wounded Man He Says He Detected Robbing His Home.

Philadelphia, March 25.—Using a repeating rifle, William Barger, aged 70 years, who served as a sharpshooter in the Civil war, yesterday shot and probably fatally wounded one of two men who he detected, he says, robbing his home. The wounded man, Daniel Kerr, is in a hospital, and his companion, who was arrested, was committed to prison without bail. The veteran shot Kerr at a distance of about 100 yards. The other man escaped by dodging into an alley, where he was found by a policeman.

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NAME OF MAN IS WITHHELD

The New York Police Commissioner Tells
of the Visit of a Man Who Asked
Him to Comply with Cer-
tain Conditions.

New York, March 25.—Police Commissioner Bingham told a story yesterday afternoon of an offer which he received a few months after he entered office, when a man whose identity he refused to disclose, approached him at police headquarters with an offer of \$50,000 a month if he would comply with certain conditions which were entirely of a negative nature.

General Bingham made this statement in the course of an interview in which he was asked if he had anything to say about the failure of the board of aldermen to appropriate all or any part of the \$100,000, which he desired in order to organize a secret service bureau, independent of the present police system.

"My personal opinion," replied General Bingham, "is that the board of aldermen have refused my request because individually they hate me."

"This job right here, if put up at public auction, would bring a big price."

Someone said he thought General Bingham's job might be made worth \$1,000,000 any day.

"Well, I don't know about that," came the reply, "but I know that I had not been in here many months before a man known to me in a casual way before I came here and whom I have no reason to believe was not honest, called upon me in this very room. I received him cordially, believing that he came to talk over some social matter. He opened my eyes to a certain phase of New York life."

"He was a suave gentleman and knew how to handle words to perfection. I was interested in what he said. Then I began to think that he was getting into a curious line of talk, and I listened to him more attentively. Before that man left he had offered me \$50,000 a month to comply with certain conditions, and compliance with those conditions would have been entirely negative."

"I listened until he got through, and then gave him such a talking to that he will never forget his visit here as long as he lives. I've not heard from him since, and I think that he knows better than to ever attempt to put his head inside my door, either public or private."

When asked whether he would give his visitor's name, General Bingham refused.

"No, no; what's the use? I suppose it was simply an incident in the official life in this city," he said.

The commissioner was then asked point blank whether the proposition put to him was to allow gambling houses to run wide open, or to permit a syndicate of rich gamblers to run free from police interference.

General Bingham laughed and said: "I told you that I would not go into details and I repeat that I have nothing more to say. The man was here, and in his opinion approached and made the proposition in an inoffensive manner."

STORM BRINGS DEATH.

Fort Worth Hears of Wild Carnival of
the Elements.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 25.—Reports received here yesterday from Wise county, 30 miles north of here, say that a terrible electrical storm swept that county early yesterday and that four persons were burned to death in a fire which followed. The town of Shiloh is reported practically destroyed.

HARRY REID KNOWS

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The Red Cross Pharmacy does not guarantee Parisian Sage to grow hair on every bald head, but if there is any life left in the roots of your hair Parisian Sage will stimulate the hair bulbs and cause your hair to grow again. Here is one case: "I am now using the second bottle of your Parisian Sage, and can notice a new growth of hair appearing. I am glad to say it is a darker color than my hair was before I became bald."

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ENGLAND AC- CEPTS WARSHIP

New Zealand Helps Defend
the Motherland

ASQUITH IS GRATEFUL

For the Offer of a Dreadnought—At Present
National Has Ample Security—
Beresford Says He's Still Work-
ing for Naval Efficiency.

London, March 25.—Great Britain has accepted the offer, made by New Zealand, to give the empire free of cost a fully equipped Dreadnought. Announcing the acceptance of this gift in the House of Commons, Premier Asquith read a telegram sent to New Zealand expressing the government's "warmest gratitude for this generous and patriotic offer." Continuing, this communication said: "So far as the coming financial year is concerned the provisions of the naval estimates afford ample security, but in view of the uncertainty existing regarding the character and extent of the demands that may be made on our national resources the following year, the offer of New Zealand to defray within that period the cost of providing a first class battleship of the latest type, and a second vessel of the same type if subsequent events show it is necessary, is most gratefully accepted."

BERESFORD HAULS DOWN FLAG.

He Declares That He Will Keep on
Working for Naval Efficiency.

Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, commander of the channel fleet, hauled down his flag at Portsmouth yesterday, thus bringing to an end fifty years of active service. He was given a rousing send-off by some 10,000 enthusiastic friends and admirers who had gathered around the dockyard gates. The admiral is now a free lance, and it is expected that he will take an active part in the agitation for a big navy. In response to demands for a speech the admiral said:

"Although the admiralty has ordered me to haul down my flag, which of course it has a perfect right to do, I feel I shall still be able to do service in other fields of labor. My chief thought always will be the efficiency of the fleet, as my first desire has been that the ships under my control should be ready for war."

A huge crowd assembled at the station here to meet Admiral Beresford, and he was greeted upon arrival by a deafening outburst of cheering. An impatient spectator, Lady Reginald Talbot, gave expression of the national affection for the admiral by throwing her arms around his neck and imprinting a kiss on his cheek. At the same time she called him "Dear old Charlie," an appellation which was promptly adopted by the crowd.

KING GIVES THANKS.

Gratitude for Aid After Earthquake in
Speech in Parliament.

Rome, March 25.—King Emmanuel opened the Italian Parliament yesterday with the customary ceremony.

In the speech from the throne the king recalled the horrors of the earthquake and referred to the noble work of the Italian army and navy and the prompt response to the call for help received from foreign countries. The king then expressed his gratitude to all those who had contributed to the relief work, and said that Messina and Reggio would rise again in the future to a position worthy of their glorious past.

Continuing the king said that Parliament would labor to find an equitable solution of the conflict between capital and labor and to substitute the co-operation of all the so-called classes for fruitless struggles. He urged the organization of the army in a manner to meet the necessities of the present times, and he recommended a financial program that would make possible the development of southern Italy through the establishment of schools, agricultural advancement and afforestation.

Referring to the international situation, his majesty said that negotiations were at present being conducted between Italy and other countries with the aim of insuring a general peace, but without giving offense to anyone. Italy's relations with foreign powers were good, his majesty said, and the triple alliance continued efficaciously to contribute to the maintenance of peace. The alliance threatened nobody, injured the rights of nobody, and never had in any way interfered with the cordiality existing between its members and other countries.

In conclusion, the king urged a settlement of all misunderstandings with Austria-Hungary. His remarks frequently were interrupted with applause, and at the conclusion his majesty was given an ovation.

NO PASSES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The Lower House Passes a Drastic
Measure.

Concord, N. H., March 25.—A stringent anti-pass bill was passed without a dissenting vote by the New Hampshire House of Representatives yesterday, and it is generally believed that it will also go through the Senate. The act in general follows the lines of the federal anti-pass law, but in some respects is even more stringent. The persons to whom it shall be legal for railroad or other common carriers to grant free transportation are strictly limited. Railroad employees will be permitted to ride free, but this class is very clearly defined, and does not include attorneys employed by a railroad company. The passage of this act is in line with the claims of John H. Republican and Democratic parties in the last campaign.

By a vote of 231 to 79, the House passed a bill appropriating \$100,000 for the repairing and enlargement of the present State House.

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CALIFORNIA BALLOONISTS SAFE.

Land on a Mountain Top, but Find Shelter from the Blizzard.

Los Angeles, March 25.—After one of the most harrowing experiences in the history of ballooning Captain A. E. Mueller and five companions, who ascended in the racing balloon America at Pasadena Saturday, landed in the Sierra Madre mountains Saturday afternoon, and arrived on foot at Switzer's camp on the slopes of Mt. Wilson unharmed Tuesday. Many searches had been scouring the mountains for them. The balloon was in the air less than two hours. It was carried by the strong north wind over the mile-high summit of Mt. Lowe and swept on across the intervening peaks and canyons to the lofty summit of Mt. Gabriel. Their balloon was thrown out and the balloon soared away toward Strawberry peak in the third range. Crossing that at a low altitude, the balloon encountered a strong current of cold air, which brought it rapidly to earth. A successful landing was effected on the north side of Strawberry peak. The men wandered aimlessly over the mountains until 1:30 Sunday afternoon, when they unexpectedly came to Colby's ranch, far from any road and without communication from the outside world. Monday afternoon the storm ceased and they immediately took up the snow-choked trail across the mountains toward Pasadena.

With Captain Mueller in the "America" were L. B. Gilliam, Richard Halsted, Sydney Gray, Harold Parker and Edward Dodeschutz, all of Pasadena.

CORBIN ESTATE SHRINKAGE.

Appraised at \$5,000,000 in 1898, Now
Less Than \$1,000,000.

Riverhead, L. I., March 25.—When Austin Corbin, who was president of the Long Island railroad, died in 1898, the appraised valuation of his estate was practically \$5,000,000. As shown by an accounting, and decree settling an account, which has been filed in the Suffolk county surrogate's office here, the actual assets at this time have shrunk to \$1,500,000.

It is shown by the decree that Mr. Corbin left so much unproductive property and such a large indebtedness that it has taken every cent of the income of the estate to conserve the body of the estate and pay the indebtedness without paying to the beneficiaries their bequests.

LIVE BEAR AT DINNER.

Broker's Wife Gives Him Surprise on
50th Birthday.

New York, March 25.—When Isaac N. Spiegelberg, a member of the New York stock exchange, went to the Plaza to dine with his wife he found that Mrs. Spiegelberg had invited 88 brokers and others to dine with him as a surprise in honor of his 50th birthday.

At the dinner a live bear was taken into the banquet room and put through tricks. A representation in candy of the New York stock exchange was the principal decoration. Miniature bulls, bears and lambs were the favors.

LIKE FINDING MONEY

D. F. Davis, the popular druggist, is making an offer that is just like finding money, for he is selling a regular 50-cent bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price. In addition to this large discount, he agrees to return the money to any purchaser whom the specific does not cure.

It is quite unusual to be able to buy fifty-cent pieces for a quarter, but that is what this offer really means, for it is only recently, through the solicitation of Druggist D. F. Davis, that this medicine could be bought for less than fifty cents. He urged the proprietors to allow him to sell it at this reduced price for a little while, agreeing to sell a certain amount. The result has justified his good judgment, for the sale has been something remarkable.

Anyone who suffers with headache, dyspepsia, dizziness, sour stomach, specks before the eyes, or any liver trouble, should take advantage of this opportunity, for Dr. Howard's specific will cure all these troubles. But if by any chance it should not, D. F. Davis will return your money.

SOUGHT REFUGE IN DEATH.

Richardson Ended His Life When Offi-
cer Called For Him.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 25.—Trapped in his room in the hotel Lynch, from which there was no escape, F. H. Richardson, of Elmira, N. Y., wanted for the embezzlement of \$300,000, slammed the door in the face of the chief of police about one o'clock yesterday and a minute later killed himself with a bullet through his head. The suicide marked the closing of the career of one of the most infamous men in Elmira.

Mr. Richardson was president of the Richardson Shoe company, which in 1907 was declared insolvent. At that time it was discovered that besides money in this concern the president had a credit of \$250,000 on false statements in Pennsylvania banks. Eight warrants were sworn out for his arrest and Richardson fled to Chicago and then to Pittsburgh. From there he was traced to Harrisburg and a telephone call from Elmira yesterday morning, warned Chief of Police George of the local force that the man was in this city. The chief learned that yesterday three telephone calls had been sent to Elmira. Two of these were from drug stores and from these the chief traced his man to the hotel.

Mr. Richardson was in his room when the chief went there. The door was opened at his knock, and the man's head appeared for an instant. Then before the chief had a chance to make a move, the fugitive observed him, slammed the door and bolted it. An instant later the pistol shot rang out. The door was broken in and Richardson was found dead on the floor.

VICTORY FOR "DRYS."

Women Served Hot Lunches at Polls in
Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 25.—The local option forces made a clean sweep in the elections in Benton, Greene, and Montgomery counties. Montgomery county contains the city of Crawfordsville. The drys had effective organizations in all the counties and their vote was in early.

Sunrise prayer meetings were held by women in all the counties, and during the day there were parades of men, women and children. Interest thus aroused proved so strong that fully 95 per cent. of the total vote was polled.

At many polling places women furnished free hot lunches to workers and kept up the enthusiasm by exhortations and by sending for absent voters. Fifty-five saloons were affected by yesterday's voting.

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